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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Anderson et al.

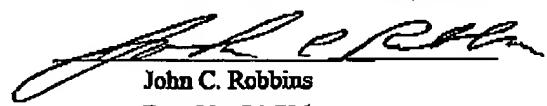
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For: AUTOMATED SYSTEM FOR
TWO DIMENSIONAL
ELECTROPHORESIS

Examiner: Noguerola

Group Art Unit: 1753

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Reg. No. 34,706PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME &
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT FEE PAYMENT

Commissioner Of Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two month extension of time thereby extending the three month response period from July 8, 2003 to Monday, September 8, 2003. Applicant authorizes payment of the appropriate Small Entity fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2).

Applicant also request consideration of the accompanying INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT under 37 CFR 1.97(c). Applicant authorizes payment of the appropriate fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(p).

- [X] The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$200.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2) for a two month extension of time and any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0933.
- [X] The Assistant Commissioner is also authorized to charge the fee of \$180.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) for filing an IDS and any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0933.

Respectfully submitted,



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